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REMARKS

Claims 1-33 are now in the application. No claims have been amended by this Response. No new matter has been added.

The March 6, 2009 Office Action requires restriction between:

Group I, claims 1-6 and 18, drawn to a zeolite material;

Group II, claims 7-11 and 22, drawn to a molding;

Group III, claims 12-17, drawn to a process for the preparation of a zeolite material;

Group IV, claims 19-21, drawn to a method of making a molding; and

Group V, claims 23-33, drawn to a process for the preparation of triethylenediamine.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-6 and 18, drawn to a zeolite material, for further prosecution. Further, Applicants respectfully request that Group III, claims 12-17, drawn to a process for the preparation of a zeolite material, be rejoined upon allowance of claims 1-6 and 18. Claims 7-11 and 19-33 are drawn to non-elected subject matter and may be cancelled by the Examiner upon the allowance of the claims directed to the elected subject matter.

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Applicants believe no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 13156-00051-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: April 3, 2009 Respectfully submitted,

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